



Sheriff Michael L. Chapman

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On November 8, 2011, Mike Chapman defeated a four term incumbent and another challenger in a 3-way race to win the office of Sheriff for Loudoun County, Virginia. The Loudoun County Sheriff's Office (LCSO) is the largest full service office in the State of Virginia, handling everything from enforcement to the jails and courts. The LCSO employs around 550 sworn deputies, 150 civilian personnel and serves a population of 318,000 covering an area of 519 square miles.

Prior to being elected Sheriff, Mike Chapman served as a subject matter expert (SME) and consultant for the firm of Booz Allen and Hamilton on the Global Security/Law Enforcement Team. He provided International Expertise, Management Strategy, Fusion Center Interoperability, and Training Capabilities to the U.S. Department of Justice.



Prior to his employment with Booz Allen, Mr. Chapman served the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) as a Special Agent for 23 years. His most recent assignment was that of Assistant Special Agent in Charge of the San Francisco Field Division where he directed enforcement operations throughout the Northern District of California and a multi-million dollar budget. He managed 100+ personnel in five offices dozens of counties and municipalities throughout Northern California, and worked closely with area Police Chiefs and Sheriffs to arrest significant drug traffickers and seize assets.

Prior to that, Mr. Chapman served as the Acting Director of Regional Operations, Far East, where he directed all operations throughout East Asia from Bangkok, Thailand. This area encompassed 15 offices in 13 countries, covered 4 time zones, and 15 million square miles of land area (ranging from China to the Philippines, to Australia). He oversaw all enforcement and management functions, two intelligence centers, and managed a multi-million dollar budget.

From 2000 to 2002, Mr. Chapman served as Chief of DEA's Public Affairs Section. There, Mr. Chapman served as DEA's Chief Spokesperson and directed media outreach for the DEA. This assignment included Mr. Chapman's oversight of public relations for over 225 domestic and 80 offices worldwide, and oversight of DEA's internet, photography, speechwriting, demand reduction and, periodically, of DEA's Office of Congressional Affairs. He worked with A&E on the Arrest and Trial series, and appeared on A&E's presentation of, "Inside the DEA." Mr. Chapman was responsible for all national press releases and press conferences while serving as Chief of Public Affairs.

From 1998-2000, Mr. Chapman served as the Country Attaché of the Seoul, Korea Country Office. There, he directed all operations for the Seoul Korea Country Office, served as a member of the Embassy Executive Staff, and as Chief Advisor to the Ambassador on narcotics matters.

Mr. Chapman also served as a supervisor for the DEA in McAllen, Texas; and in field assignments in Miami and Tampa, Florida, and Karachi, Pakistan. Prior to that, he served with the Howard County, MD Police Department in the divisions of Patrol, Investigations, and SWAT. He has a B.S. in Business Management from the University of Maryland and a Masters in Public Administration from Troy State University.

Mr. Chapman is married to the former Ann Rafferty, and they have six children.